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Fast and flexible low-level API framework based on [Falcon](#) , [Marshmallow](#) and [SQLAlchemy Core](#) API is close to OpenAPI 3.0 specification.

Awokado uses [dynaconf](#) for loading it settings. You can find all available variables in *settings.toml* file.

CHAPTER 1

Installation

Use pip at the command line:

```
$ pip install awokado
```


CHAPTER 2

Quickstart

Install awokado before it's too late.

Awokado uses `dynaconf` for loading its settings. So store them in `settings.toml`, for example:

```
1 #settings.toml
2
3 [default]
4     DATABASE_PASSWORD='your_password'
5     DATABASE_HOST='localhost'
6     DATABASE_USER='your_user'
7     DATABASE_PORT=5432
8     DATABASE_DB='try_awokado'
```

2.1 Simple example

Awokado based on Falcon, so we use the REST architectural style. That means we're talking about resources. Resources are simply all the things in your API or application that can be accessed by a URL.

First of all, we need to create a model to further be connected with a resource.

This model will act as a link to a database entity. Read more about it [here](#).

At this point, the database should be already created.

```
1 #books.py
2
3 import falcon
4 import sqlalchemy as sa
5 from awokado.consts import CREATE, READ, UPDATE, DELETE
6 from awokado.db import DATABASE_URL
7 from awokado.middleware import HttpMiddleware
8 from awokado.resource import BaseResource
9 from marshmallow import fields
```

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```

10 from sqlalchemy import create_engine
11 from sqlalchemy.ext.declarative import declarative_base
12
13 Base = declarative_base()
14
15
16 class Book(Base):
17     __tablename__ = "books"
18
19     id = sa.Column(sa.Integer, primary_key=True, autoincrement=True)
20     description = sa.Column(sa.Text)
21     title = sa.Column(sa.Text)
22
23
24 e = create_engine(DATABASE_URL)
25 Base.metadata.create_all(e)

```

Resources are represented as classes inherited from awokado `BaseResource`, that gives an opportunity to use get, create, delete, update methods.

```

1 class BookResource(BaseResource):
2     class Meta:
3         model = Book
4         name = "book"
5         methods = (CREATE, READ, UPDATE, DELETE)
6
7     id = fields.Int(model_field=Book.id)
8     title = fields.String(model_field=Book.title, required=True)
9     description = fields.String(model_field=Book.description)

```

Add routes, so resources can handle requests:

```

1 api = falcon.API(middleware=[HttpMiddleware()])
2
3 api.add_route("/v1/book/", BookResource())
4 api.add_route("/v1/book/{resource_id}", BookResource())

```

The final file version should look like [this one](#).

Now we're ready to run the above example. You can use the `uwsgi` server.

```

1 pip install uwsgi
2 uwsgi --http :8000 --wsgi-file books.py --callable api

```

Test it using `curl` in another terminal.

Create entity using following `curl`:

```

1 curl localhost:8000/v1/book --data-binary '{"book":{"title":"some_title","description
↵":"some_description"}}' --compressed -v | python -m json.tool
2
3 {
4     "book": [
5         {
6             "description": "some_description",
7             "id": 1,
8             "title": "some_title"

```

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```
9         }
10     ]
11 }
```

And then, with read request see what you've got:

```
1 curl localhost:8000/v1/book | python -m json.tool
2
3 {
4     "meta": {
5         "total": 1
6     },
7     "payload": {
8         "book": [
9             {
10                 "description": "some_description",
11                 "id": 1,
12                 "title": "some_title"
13             }
14         ]
15     }
16 }
```


In class `Meta` we declare different resource's options. There is a possibility to write your own behavior for certain methods.

```
class awokado.resource.BaseResource
```

```
class Meta
```

Parameters

- **name** – used for two resources connection by relation
- **model** – represents sqlalchemy model or cte
- **methods** – tuple of methods you want to allow
- **auth** – awokado `BaseAuth` class for embedding authentication logic
- **skip_doc** – set true if you don't need to add the resource to documentation
- **disable_total** – set false, if you don't need to know returning objects amount in read-requests
- **select_from** – provide data source here if your resource use another's model fields (for example `sa.outerjoin(FirstModel, SecondModel, FirstModel.id == SecondModel.first_model_id)`)

auth

alias of `awokado.auth.BaseAuth`

```
auth (*args, **kwargs) → Tuple[int, str]  
this method should return (user_id, token) tuple
```

```
create (session, payload: dict, user_id: int) → dict  
Create method.
```

You can override it to add your logic.

First of all, data is prepared for creating: Marshmallow load method for data structure deserialization and then preparing data for SQLAlchemy create a query.

Inserts data to the database (Uses bulky library if there is more than one entity to create). Saves many-to-many relationships.

Returns created resources with the help of `read_handler` method.

delete (*session*, *user_id*: int, *obj_ids*: list)

Simply deletes objects with passed identifiers.

on_get (*req*: *falcon.request.Request*, *resp*: *falcon.response.Response*, *resource_id*: int = None)

Falcon method. GET-request entry point.

Here is a database transaction opening. This is where authentication takes place (if auth class is pointed in `resource`) Then `read_handler` method is run. It's responsible for the whole read workflow.

Parameters

- **req** – *falcon.request.Request*
- **resp** – *falcon.response.Response*

update (*session*, *payload*: dict, *user_id*: int, **args*, ***kwargs*) → dict

First of all, data is prepared for updating: Marshmallow load method for data structure deserialization and then preparing data for SQLAlchemy update query.

Updates data with `bulk_update_mappings` sqlalchemy method. Saves many-to-many relationships.

Returns updated resources with the help of `read_handler` method.

class `awokado.auth.BaseAuth`

`CREATE` = { 'ROLE NAME HERE': Boolean value }

Example: 'ADMIN': True, 'GUEST': False

`READ`, `UPDATE`, `DELETE`

CHAPTER 4

Relations

Here is a more complicated version of simple awokado usage. Awokado provides you with the possibility to easily build relations between entities.

Let's take the Authors-Books one-to-many relation, for example.

Firstly, we need models:

```
1 #models.py
2
3 import sqlalchemy as sa
4 from awokado.db import DATABASE_URL
5 from sqlalchemy import create_engine
6 from sqlalchemy.ext.declarative import declarative_base
7
8
9 Base = declarative_base()
10
11
12 class Book(BaseModel):
13     __tablename__ = "books"
14
15     id = sa.Column(sa.Integer, primary_key=True, autoincrement=True)
16     author_id = sa.Column(
17         sa.Integer,
18         sa.ForeignKey("authors.id", onupdate="CASCADE", ondelete="SET NULL"),
19         index=True,
20     )
21
22     description = sa.Column(sa.Text)
23     title = sa.Column(sa.Text)
24
25 class Author(BaseModel):
26     __tablename__ = "authors"
27
28     id = sa.Column(sa.Integer, primary_key=True, autoincrement=True)
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```

29     first_name = sa.Column(sa.Text, nullable=False)
30     last_name = sa.Column(sa.Text, nullable=False)
31
32 e = create_engine(DATABASE_URL)
33 Base.metadata.create_all(e)

```

Secondly, we write resources for each entity connected with their models.

Bind Book to Author using the ToOne awokado custom_field. Resource argument is the name field of Meta class in Author resource we're connecting to, model_field argument is the field in Book model where Author unique identifier is stored.

```

1  #resources.py
2
3  import sqlalchemy as sa
4  from awokado import custom_fields
5  from awokado.consts import CREATE, READ, UPDATE
6  from awokado.resource import BaseResource
7  from awokado.utils import ReadContext
8  from marshmallow import fields
9
10 import models as m
11
12 class BookResource(BaseResource):
13     class Meta:
14         model = m.Book
15         name = "book"
16         methods = (CREATE, READ, UPDATE)
17
18     id = fields.Int(model_field=m.Book.id)
19     title = fields.String(model_field=m.Book.title, required=True)
20     description = fields.String(model_field=m.Book.description)
21     author = custom_fields.ToOne(
22         resource="author", model_field=m.Book.author_id
23     )

```

The continuation of building the connection is in the Author resource. Here we define another end of connection by the ToMany field.

```

1  class AuthorResource(Resource):
2     class Meta:
3         model = m.Author
4         name = "author"
5         methods = (CREATE, READ, UPDATE)
6         select_from = sa.outerjoin(
7             m.Author, m.Book, m.Author.id == m.Book.author_id
8         )
9
10     id = fields.Int(model_field=m.Author.id)
11     books = custom_fields.ToMany(
12         fields.Int(),
13         resource="book",
14         model_field=m.Book.id,
15         description="Authors Books",
16     )
17     books_count = fields.Int(
18         dump_only=True, model_field=sa.func.count(m.Book.id)

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```

19 )
20 name = fields.String(
21     model_field=sa.func.concat(
22         m.Author.first_name, " ", m.Author.last_name
23     ),
24     dump_only=True,
25 )
26 last_name = fields.String(
27     model_field=m.Author.last_name, required=True, load_only=True
28 )
29 first_name = fields.String(
30     model_field=m.Author.first_name, required=True, load_only=True
31 )

```

So finally here are the methods where we add logic for getting connected entities.

```

1  #BookResource
2
3  def get_by_author_ids(
4      self, session, ctx: ReadContext, field: sa.Column = None
5  ):
6      authors = sa.func.array_remove(
7          sa.func.array_agg(m.Author.id), None
8      ).label("authors")
9      q = (
10         sa.select(
11             [
12                 m.Book.id.label("id"),
13                 m.Book.title.label("title"),
14                 m.Book.description.label("description"),
15                 authors,
16             ]
17         )
18         .select_from(
19             sa.outerjoin(m.Book, m.Author, m.Author.id == m.Book.author_id)
20         )
21         .where(m.Book.author_id.in_(ctx.obj_ids))
22         .group_by(m.Book.id)
23     )
24     result = session.execute(q).fetchall()
25     serialized_objs = self.dump(result, many=True)
26     return serialized_objs
27
28
29  #AuthorResource
30
31  def get_by_book_ids(
32      self, session, ctx: ReadContext, field: sa.Column = None
33  ):
34      books_count = self.fields.get("books_count").metadata["model_field"]
35      q = (
36         sa.select(
37             [
38                 m.Author.id.label("id"),
39                 self.fields.get("name")
40                     .metadata["model_field"]
41                     .label("name"),

```

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```

42         books_count.label("books_count"),
43     ]
44 )
45 .select_from(
46     sa.outerjoin(m.Author, m.Book, m.Author.id == m.Book.author_id)
47 )
48 .where(m.Book.id.in_(ctx.obj_ids))
49 .group_by(m.Author.id)
50 )
51 result = session.execute(q).fetchall()
52 serialized_objs = self.dump(result, many=True)
53 return serialized_objs

```

Add routes, so resources can handle requests:

```

1 app = falcon.API()
2 api.add_route("/v1/author/", AuthorResource())
3 api.add_route("/v1/author/{resource_id}", AuthorResource())
4 api.add_route("/v1/book/", BookResource())
5 api.add_route("/v1/book/{resource_id}", BookResource())

```

Test it using curl in terminal.

Create entities using following curl:

```

1 curl localhost:8000/v1/author --data-binary '{"author":{"last_name": "B","first_
↪name": "Sier"}}' --compressed -v | python -m json.tool
2
3 {
4     "author": [
5         {
6             "books": [],
7             "books_count": 0,
8             "id": 1,
9             "name": "Sier B"
10        }
11    ]
12 }
13
14 curl localhost:8000/v1/book --data-binary '{"book":{"title":"some_title",
↪"description":"some_description", "author":"1"}}' --compressed -v | python -m json.
↪tool
15
16 {
17     "book": [
18         {
19             "author": 1,
20             "description": "some_description",
21             "id": 1,
22             "title": "some_title"
23        }
24    ]
25 }

```

And then, with read request see what you've got:

```
1 curl localhost:8000/v1/author?include=books | python -m json.tool
```

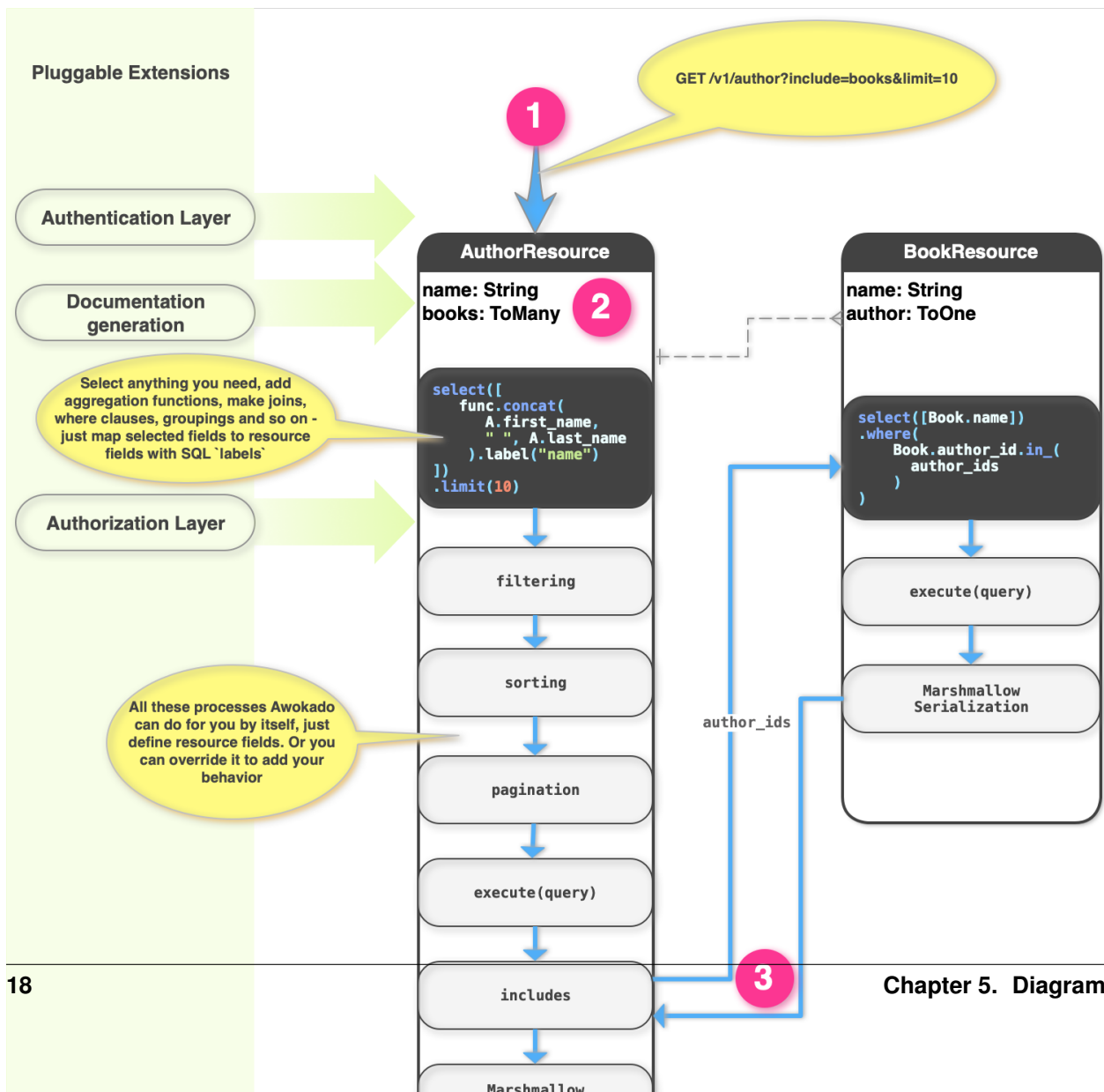
```
2 {
3   "meta": {
4     "total": 1
5   },
6   "payload": {
7     "author": [
8       {
9         "books": [
10           1
11         ],
12         "books_count": 1,
13         "id": 1,
14         "name": "Sier B"
15       }
16     ],
17     "book": [
18       {
19         "description": "some_description",
20         "id": 1,
21         "title": "some_title"
22       }
23     ]
24   }
25 }
```

```
26
27
28 curl localhost:8000/v1/book?include=author | python -m json.tool
```

```
29 {
30   "meta": {
31     "total": 1
32   },
33   "payload": {
34     "author": [
35       {
36         "books_count": 1,
37         "id": 1,
38         "name": "Sier B"
39       }
40     ],
41     "book": [
42       {
43         "author": 1,
44         "description": "some_description",
45         "id": 1,
46         "title": "some_title"
47       }
48     ]
49   }
50 }
51 }
```


CHAPTER 5

Diagram



6.1 Filtering

6.1.1 syntax

resource_field_name[operator]=value

6.1.2 available operators

- lte
- eq
- gte
- ilike
- in
- empty
- contains

6.1.3 examples

/v1/user/?username[ilike]=Andy it's equal to SQL statement: `SELECT * FROM users WHERE username ILIKE '%Andy%';`

/v1/user/?id[in]=1,2,3,4 it's equal to SQL statement: `SELECT * FROM users WHERE id IN (1, 2, 3, 4);`

6.2 Sorting

6.2.1 syntax

`sort=resource_field_name,-another_resource_field_name`

use `-` for descending order

6.2.2 examples

`/v1/user/?sort=name,-record_created`

6.3 Includes

6.3.1 syntax

`include=resource_relation_name`

6.3.2 examples

`/v1/author/?include=books`

`/v1/author/?include=books,stores`

6.4 Limit Offset (pagination)

6.4.1 syntax

`limit=integer&offset=integer`

6.4.2 examples

`/v1/user/?limit=10&offset=10`

`/v1/user/?offset=10`

`/v1/user/?limit=2000`

Awokado allows to generate documentation for a project using swagger(3rd version). To generate documentation you need to import `generate_documentation` function and call it with required parameters. Description of your project can be taken from template, in that case you need to provide path to the template as argument in `template_absolute_path`

7.1 function parameters

- `api` - your falcon.API instance
- `api_host` - IP address for your host
- `project_name` - title for your documentation
- `output_dir` - path, where swagger doc will be added
- `api_version` default `"1.0.0"` - string with number of version of you project
- `template_absolute_path` default `None` - absolute path to template with description of your project

7.2 examples

```
from awokado.documentation import generate_documentation
from dynaconf import settings
from api.routes import api

generate_documentation(
    api=api,
    api_host=settings.MY_HOST_FOR_DOCUMENTATION,
    api_version="2.0.0",
    project_name="API Documentation",
    template_absolute_path="Users/my_user/projects/my_project/template.tmpl",
```

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```
    output_dir="my_project/documentation",  
)
```

The format is based on [Keep a Changelog](#)

8.1 [0.3b16] - 2019-05-24

8.1.1 Changed

Updated falcon from 1.4.1 to 2.0.0 ([Falcon 2 Changelog](#)), which led to following changes:

- `application.req_options.auto_parse_qs_csv` param is now `False` by default, so you'll need to manually set it to `True`
- `application.req_options.strip_url_path_trailing_slash` param is now `False` by default, so you'll need to manually set it to `True`
- For direct data read from request `req.bounded_stream` is now used instead of `req.stream`.

8.2 [0.3b15] - 2019-05-23

8.2.1 Added

- Added pre-commit hook to run black formatting checks
- Added ability to specify full database url in settings

8.2.2 Fixes

- Fixed “load_only” fields appearing in read request results
- Fixed “awokado_debug” setting being always required in settings

- Fixed attribute “auth” being mandatory in resource.Meta
- Fixed method “auth” being mandatory to overwrite in resource
- Fixed method “audit_log” being mandatory to overwrite in resource

8.2.3 Removed

- Functions `set_bearer_header`, `get_bearer_payload` and `AWOKADO_AUTH_BEARER_SECRET` var are removed

8.3 [0.3b14] - 2019-05-15

8.3.1 Fixes

- Fixed documentation generation for bulk operations

8.4 [0.3b13] - 2019-04-02

8.4.1 Changed

No backward compatibility. Need to change custom `delete()` and `can_create()` methods.

- `delete` method supports bulk delete.
- add `payload` attribute to `can_create` method.

8.5 [0.3b12] - 2019-03-14

8.5.1 Added

- `select_from` attribute in class `Meta`, allows you to specify `sqlalchemy.select_from()` arguments.
Example:

```
class AuthorResource(Resource):
    class Meta:
        model = m.Author
        name = "author"
        methods = (CREATE, READ, UPDATE, BULK_UPDATE, DELETE)
        auth = None
        select_from = sa.outerjoin(
            m.Author, m.Book, m.Author.id == m.Book.author_id
        )
```

8.5.2 Deprecated

- `join` argument in the resource field

8.6 [0.3b11] - 2019-03-13

8.6.1 Added

- ability to make list of joins in resource field

```
book_titles = fields.List(
    fields.Str(),
    resource="author",
    model_field=sa.func.array_remove(sa.func.array_agg(m.Book.title), None),
    join=[
        OuterJoin(
            m.Tag, m.M2M_Book_Tag, m.Tag.id == m.M2M_Book_Tag.c.tag_id
        ),
        OuterJoin(
            m.M2M_Book_Tag, m.Book, m.M2M_Book_Tag.c.book_id == m.Book.id
        ),
    ],
)
```

8.7 [0.3b10] - 2019-03-11

8.7.1 Added

- Automated SQL generation for POST/PATCH requests

8.8 [0.3b7] - 2019-03-05

8.8.1 Added

- `bulk_create` method in base resource

8.8.2 Deprecated

- `create` method (is going to be replaced with `bulk_create`)

8.9 [0.3b5] - 2019-03-04

8.9.1 Added

- API simple workflow diagram
- `disable_total` attr for `Resource.Meta`. Set it to `True` to avoid adding total column: `sa.func.count().over()`. Useful for historical tables, where pagination based on date instead of limit / offset to not overload SQL database

8.9.2 Fixes

- Fixed `description` arg for `ToMany` and `ToOne` fields (was broken)

8.10 [0.3b2] - 2019-03-01

8.10.1 Added

- Documentation generation for API resources
- Automated SQL generation for `GET` requests (including `ToOne` and `ToMany` relation fields)
- `AWOKADO_DEBUG` handle traceback exception in API response

8.10.2 Changed

- all `Forbidden` exceptions now raise `HTTP_403` instead of `HTTP_401`

8.10.3 Deprecated

-

8.10.4 Removed

- `###` Fixed
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